CANDIDATES FOR OFFICE.

MENERAL JOSEPH R. ANDERSON, I at the urgent solicitation of his friends, has HOUSE OF DELEGATES, subject to the deci of the people at the primary election. oc 22-21 TAYLOR ELLYSON FOR THE e) . HOUSE OF DELEGATES.—In response to the request of many friends, I hereby consent to announce myself a candidate for the HOUSE OF

DELEGATES, subject to the decision of the pri-J. TAYLOR ELLYSON. RICHMOND, October 20, 1877.

ESSRS. A. G. BABCOCK, JUAN A. MESSRS. A. G. BABCOCK, JUAN A. PIZZINI, GEORGE W.LATHEOP, ROBERT E. ENGLISH. AND OTHERS: GENTLEMEN.—Highly appreciating the honor conferred by your request that I should announce myself a candidate for the VIRGINIA HOUSE OF DELEGATES. I very respectfully accept your call, and if elected will do all in my power to advance the interests of this old Commonwealth, vote against all class legislation, and every and all measures that would tarnish her honor or detract one lots from her ancient elory. Respectully. F. J. REILLY. oc 22-2t

A NHONEST CANDIDATE—HE SAILS UNDER NO FALSE COLORS. GEORGE K. CRUTCHFIELD, Esq., who is a candidate for the HOUSE OF DELEGATES, in answer to questions asked candidates, came out squarely in the State yesterday afternoon and says he is in favor of paying the State debt and in favor of the Moffett liquor-law. This is the way for an honest man to talk, whether he is elected or not; but we believe he can be elected on that platform although the Liquor-Dealers' Association have resolved to participate in the primary election, and of course will support those who are in favor of a repeal of the Moffett liquor-law. Those who are in favor of the law should see that Mr. CRUTCHFIELD is elected, and we believe the liquor-men themselves will largely support a candidate who is so frank and honest. ADVOCATE MOFFETT LIQUOR-LAW.

CAPTAIN FRED. JOHNSTON FOR HOUSE OF DELEGATES.-Wishing to see Richmond represented in the next Legislature by our best citizens, we call upon Captain C. F. JOHN-STON, the popular newsdealer, to announce himself at ones. Everybody knows Fred. Johnston, the few who do not are assured that if he is elected he will be as great a success as a legislator as he is a news dealer. Let us elect him. ALL THE BOYS. lealer. Let us elect him.

In reply to the above call, as pleasing as unexpected, signed by a very large number of "The Boys." I regret to say that it will be impossible for me to serve you in the next Legislature, owing to the fact that my large and rapidly increasing business occupies all of the time at my disposal. I therefore must respectfully decline to accept any position detrimental to my business. Thanking you sincerely for the confidence expressed in your card, and hoping that you may find a more competent processor that a proposition of the confidence of the confidence of the complex trains. representative. I remain yours, very truly, C. F. JOHNSTON, Music- and News-dealer, 918 Main street.

TO MESSRS. JAMES H. DOOLEY, RICHARD L. BROWN, TALBOTT & SONS, JUNIUS A. MORRIS. C. ZIMMER, AND OTHERS: GENTLEMEN,—If I could be induced to surrender my own views of what is best by the evisurrender my own views of what is best by the evidence of the good-will of my fellow-citizens, I should make a different response from that which my duty constrains me to make to your card. I have been often and long honored in Richmond, and have freely given to the service of her people whatever of ability, or time, or faithfulness I could bring to the discharge of the trusts they have committed to me; but I cannot, even if I could be persuaded that my efforts would be as successful as you are pleased to predict, neglect the private interests which would be sacrificed by accepting a nomination for the Assembly.

Profoundly sensible of your kindness, and with he confident hope that the interests of this great and growing city may be better served by other hands. I must decline respectfully the use of my name for the office to which you are pleased to call I remain, with great respect, your obedient servant. oc 22-1t JOHN M. HIGGINS.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND.—In accordance with the expressed wishes of my friends in various portions of the city thereby announce myself a candidate for a seat in the lower house of the Virginia Legislature, subject to the primary election. As a Conservative I endorse the platform as adopted by the Convention which assembled in this city in August last. As a mechanic, I should be pleased to receive the cudorsation of my fellow-mechanics and workingmen, but believing that class preferment and class legislation are alike unwise and injurious, I am emboidened to ask the support of my fellow-citizens irrespective of trade, calling, or profession. To those to whom I am personally naknown I refer to my record during a residence in this city of twenty-seven years. If honored by your votes with an election I pledge my best efforts to represent your various interests with watchfullness, honesty, and sobriety, and under no circumstances will I give my voice or vote to a measure which, in my judgment, is prejudicial to this city, or that fails to maintain the honor of this Common wealth. ion of my fellow-mechanics and workingmen, but monwealth.
Primary election TUESDAY, October 23d; general election TUESDAY, November 6th.
Very respectfully,
oc 20-3t*
T. WILEY DAVIS.

CHARLES U. WILLIAMS, Esq.: Sir,—
The next Legislature will perhaps be a more important one, so far as the city of Richmond, and, indeed, the State at large, is concerned, than any we have recently had. Actuated by a sincere desire to have the city represented in that body by safe and declarate that the city represented in that body by safe and declarate that the city represented in that body by safe and declarate that the city represented in that body by safe and efficient men, and trusting that you may be willing again to spare some of your time to the public good, to which you would now bring the same qualificato which you would now bring the same quantica-tions which the people of the city recognized in your former election, with the addition of experience in the service expected at your hands, we desire that you place your name before the Conservative voters of the city for nomination for the next House of

RICHMOND, October 18, 1877. In response to a call, of which the foregoing is a copy, numerously signed by my tellow-citizens, I hereby announce myself as a candidate before the WE ARE AUTHORIZED TO AN-NOUNCE COLONEL W. S. GILMAN as a ANDIDATE FOR RE-ELECTION TO THE

DELEGATES, subject to the decision or 20-3t of the primary election. GEORGE K. CRUTCHFIELD, Esq., are authorized to state that GEORGE K. CRUTCHFIELD, Esq., has consented to be a CANDIDATE at the primary election to be held Tuesday next. October 23d, to represent this city in the House of Delegates.

RICHMOND, VA., October 17, 1877. IN RESPONSE TO THE FLATTER-ING calls made on me, both publicly and private-ly, I respectfully announce myself a candidate for re-election to the HOUSE OF DELEGATES, subject to the primary election. oc 18-5t WILLIAM LOVENSTEIN.

FOR HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the HOUSE OF DELEGAEES, subject to the decision of the approaching primary election. OCTOBER 18, 1877.

WE ARE AUTHORIZED TO AN-NOUNCE SAMUEL H. PULLIAM, Esq., as a candidate for the HOUSE OF DELEGATES from this city at the primary election, October 23, 1877.

WANTS.

WANTED, EVERYBODY TO KNOW that I am at my old stand, No. 9 Eleventh street, from 7 A. M. till 12 at night, where my ser-vices can be secured for the detection of crime or the recovery of stolen property; oc 22-31* JOHN WREN, Detective.

WANTED, A COMPETENT SEAM-VV STRESS to do family sewing by the month Apply at 617 north Seventh street. oc 22-11* WANTED, A GOOD TINNER. Apply to WALDMAN & SCHERER. 1559 Main street.

WANTED,

SIX TOBACCO-BOX SCREWS, CRATES, and

CASINGS-complete.

HASKINS & BRAGG. [oc 18-41*]

WANTED, FIFTY COAL-MINERS V for West Virginia mines. Pay, \$2 per day. Also, FOUR BOYS, used to driving mules in the mines. Pay them \$1 per day. Also, SIX MEN for saw-mill on James river below Richmond.

J. P. JUSTIS, Employment Agent

LOST, STRAYED, AND FOUND. OST, ON FRIDAY MORNING, A SEA-BEAN, with a small bit of gold-mounting. A reward exceeding its value will be paid for it if left at this office. oc 20-2t*

CONFECTIONERIES, &c.

CLARIFIED FLINT CANDIES .- I am daily manufacturing an article of CLARIFIED FLINT CANDY of pure crushed sugar, warranted better than any made in the United States for wholesale purposes. I warrant it to stand dry and firm in any weather, and sell it at the same price that inferior candles are sold for. I have a large stock of CANNED GOODS, TOBACCO, CIGARS, CAKES, and CRACKERS; all of which I offer at Baltimore 120.55; Tuesday, \$4,849.50; Wednesday, law." prices. LOUIS J. BOSSIEUX. Confectioner, oc 9 1412 Main street.

LIME, CEMENT, AND PLASTER.

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PAPERS OF THE CITY

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LATION OF ALL THE OTHER DAILY NEWS-

WEATHER REPORT.

INDICATIONS FOR SUNDAY .- For the Middle Atlantic States, cloudy, rainy weather, variable winds, stationary or lower pressure and temperature.

For the South Atlantic States, cloudy, rainy weather, warm southerly veering to colder westerly winds, and stationary or higher pressure. For the Gulf States, partly cloudy or clearing weather, stationary or higher pressure, with stationary or lower tempera-

ture, and westerly winds. For Tennessee and the Ohio Valley. cloudy, rainy weather, variable winds shifting to colder northerly, and stationary

or higher pressure. Cautionary signals continue at Indianola, Galveston, Cape Hatteras, Kitty Hawk, Cape Henry, Cape May, Atlantic City, Barnegat, and Sandy Hook.

THE WEATHER SATURDAY Was cloudy, mild, and rainy. About 8 o'clock there was a good deal of lightning and some thunder, succeeded by heavy showers.

THERMOMETER SATURDAY: 6 A. M., 64; A. M., 69; noon, 72; 3 P. M., 73; 6 P. M., 69; midnight, 66.

LOCAL MATTERS.

ANOTHER CHANCE FOR OUR MILITARY-COMPETITIVE DRILL AT THE SOUTH CAROLINA Dr. A. S. McRae, member of the Senate for STATE FAIR .- South Carolina, like Virginia, one session, connected with insurance inin order to promote the efficiency of the terests; Samuel H. Pulliam, president of volunteer militia and to create a generous the Commercial Fire-Insurance Company, spirit of rivalry among them, is to have a and member of the Common Council from competitive drill during the State Fair, Monroe Ward; Frank J. Reilly, Esq., of which begins at Columbia on the 13th of Reilly & Co.'s bottling establishment; Dr. November. The rules and regulations to W. F. Richardson, druggist, 508 north govern the contest (which takes place on Seventeenth street; Charles U. Williams, the 15th) have been received here, and are attorney at law, and member of the House now in the hands of the staff officers of the for the past two sessions. First Virginia reigment to be distributed to | To each of the above-named gentlemen the various captains, by whom they will be present in the city a representative of this submitted to their respective companies for paper on Saturday addressed the following consideration. This is another chance for question: our "sojer boys" to achieve additional laurels, and now that they are getting so and on the Moffett liquor-law? well in trim for the home contest at our own State Fair it would be well for one or more of the companies to make an effort to participate in that of our sister State.

The rules and regulations provide, among others, a prize of \$400 for the best-drilled infantry company; a prize of \$100 for the best-drilled cavalry company, and a prize of \$100 for the best-drilled artillery company-all open to any of the States. Companies that contend for the prize of \$400 will be required to pay an entrance fee of \$20; companies that contend for the other prizes pay an entrance fee of \$10. The minimum number of men allowed companies will be twenty-four, exclusive of commissioned officers and sergeants; the men to be regular active members of the companies with which they appear; each company to be drilled by its own officers, withpany to be drilled by its own officers, withettlement of the whole debt, as would be the Company wells, they company the control of the whole debt, as would be the Company wells, they company the control of the whole debt, as would be the Company wells, they company the control of the whole debt, as would be the control of the case of Higginbotham vs. pany to be drilled by its own officers, without music, in such movements and portions out music, in such movements and portions mutually satisfactory to the debtor and bound with West Virginia for that portion With a fundamental mutually satisfactory to the debtor and bound with West Virginia for that portion of the manual as the judges may direct. The drill is to be in accordance with the tactics now in use in the United States army. A rifle-team contest is also to take place the teams to consist of six men each, who

pany they represent, and wearing the uniform of the same. Companies or teams desiring to enter either contest are required to report to Lieutenant-Colonel W. R. Cathcart, aid-de-camp to Governor Hampton, and chairman of the Executive Committee, and am in favor of the Moffett liquor-law. Columbia, S. C.

are to be bona fide members of the com-

WALTER E. NEWMAN AND HENRY WARE COLORED) PARDONED BY THE GOVERNOR .-Governor Kemper on Saturday granted the following pardons: E. Newman, sentenced by the

Hustings Court of Richmond to three years in the penitentiary for grand larceny, for the reason that the prisoner, a boy fifteen years of age, under the influence of offence. His previous behavior was good; and will labor to increase its efficiency. he has manifested great contrition and an earnest purpose to lead an honest life. A free to say I do not approve that mode of pardon rescues him from the influences of the penitentiary, and is likely to confirm his the necessity of bringing in new subjects of reformation. He is pardoned on condition taxation to meet the deficit in our annual that he is transferred from the jail to a merchant-vessel as it goes to sea, and that he be held to active seafaring service for three years continuously.

Henry Ware (colored), sentenced by the udge of the Corporation Court of Fredericksburg to six months in jail for unlawful cutting, because the prisoner's diseased condition is shown by the surgeon of the jail to be such that longer imprisonment will very greatly imperil and probably destroy his life.

THE PRESIDENT'S VISIT TO RICHMOND .-R, Anderson, and Mr. Franklin Stearns, passage of any law approved by the credit-They will make their report about State debt. their interview with the President to the Council reception committee at a meeting to be held at Mr. Pulliam's office to-morrow Tuesday) at 12 o'clock.

In our list of marshals agreed upon by he reception committee we unintentionally omitted the name of Lewis D. Crenshaw, Jr.

THE CITY WATER-BILLS .- It is understood that Mayor Carrington will return to the Board of Aldermen this evening the new ordinance concerning the payment of waterbills quarterly instead of half-yearly, as heretofore, without his approval, Mayor, it is stated, declines to give his consent to the change because it will lessen the water receipts this year about \$9,000, throwing that amount to be paid in the first quarter of the succeeding fiscal year.

THE LIQUOR CASES .- In the Hustings Court on Saturday the case of William Euker. charged with a violation of the Moffett liquoraw, was partially heard. The evidence was concluded, and Mr. Wise, Commonwealth's attorney, asked the Court to instruct the jury to the effect that the principal or owner of the bar is responsible, and not the bartender, for a violation of the law. Colonel Young argued the case for the liquor-dealers, and at 4 o'clock the case was adjourned until to-day.

tents, valued at \$30, and two charters, val- press his views in this sense over my name, ued at \$125, the property of the Grand as done by his authority in his absence, you United Sons and Daughters of the Living are at liberty to do so, or if you prefer to hearing the evidence, decided it was a case Niagara Falls. for civil action, and dismissed it. James Walker and James A. Reed (color-

language in the street. John Wesley (colored), driver for T. C. Bennett, was fined 35 for refusing to obey the orders of a policeman.

UNETED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE COL- mode prescribed by the "Moffett liquor-455.99.

I IME! LIME! LIME.—Five brundred barrels of barrels of INDIAN ROCK LIME received this day Fresh from our new iron-cuad kilns. For sale low.

Business office, 1802 Cary street; lime depot, 1503 Dock street.

Dillon, ELLETT & Co., Manufacturers. Dock street.

March 17.1877.

Entertainment at the Virginia Operadia on very layer declared in convention against raising the rate of in convention against raising the rate of taxation on real and personal estate, the lime depot, 1503 on Wednesday night at the Virginia Operadiates on Wednesday nig

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RICHMOND, VA., MONDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 22, 1877

THE PRIMARY ELECTION. Views of All the Candidates on

Two Great Questions.

THE PUBLIC DEBT AND THE MOFFETT LIQUOR-LAW-FIFTEEN GENTLEMEN SERVATIVE PEOPLE EXPLAIN THEM-SELVES-AN INTERESTING BATCH OF IN TERVIEWS-WHO THE CANDIDATES ARE-

PRIMARY VOTING-PLACES-THE ADDRESS. The primary election takes place Tuesday. Conservative citizens will then be called upon to select five candidates to be voted for in November as members of the House of Delegates. The following gentlemen have submitted their names in accordance with the City, Committee's plan, and are considered bound to abide the re-

General Joseph R. Anderson, president of the Tredegar Company, several times member of the House, the present President of the Common Council; George K. Crutchfield, now retired from active business pursuits, and former councilman and magistrate; T. Wiley Davis, ex-member of the Common Council from Marshall Ward, engaged in business as builder; J. Taylor Ellyson, bookseller and stationer, of 1112 Main street; William S. Gilman, formerly of the press, and for three terms past member of the House; B. C. Gray, Esq., to-bacco-dealer, president of the Richmond Tobacco Association, and superintendent of the City Conservative Committee; William L. Griffin, carpenter, residing at 202 east Marshall: Don P. Halsey, attorney at law, Shafer's building; Colonel William Wirt Henry, attorney at law, State Bank building; William Lovenstein, cashier of Building Association at No. 6 north Eleventh street, and member of the House (with the exception of one session) since 1869;

What are your views on the public debt

The answers are as follows: GENERAL JOSEPH R. ANDERSON. As to the public-debt question my record n the House of Delegates is full. I have changed no opinion on this subject that I expressed when I was last a member. I think the debt of the State is a just debt, which we are bound by every principle of ionor to pay-principal and interest. I think that what is understood as a forced settlement of principal or interest would be repudiation of so much as the amount should be reduced without the assent of the creditor. Yet as a respectable portion of creditors have offered to make a reduction in interest I am of opinion that a respectful response should be made to that offer; and I believe a negotiation would thus be opened

In regard to the Moffett law, I am not familiar with its details and cannot say that it should not be amended. But I have long thought that liquor should produce much more revenue than it has produced hitherto. that Virginia, by the passage of the and am in favor of giving the new system a funding bill, had been forever released fair trial.

GEORGE K. CRUTCHFIELD, ESQ. I am in favor of paying our State debt,

T. WILEY DAVIS, ESQ. Under no circumstances would I vote for repudiating the public debt. I am in favor of any compromise that will be satisfactory to our creditors and honorable to the State. Would vote for an increase of taxation as a dernier resort; but believe the same may be avoided by rigid economy in the administration of the government, a fair valuation upon all taxable articles, and a prompt and faithful collection of all public dues. I faexperienced criminals, committed the larceny of effects of his father. It was his first with our present laws upon that subject,

In relation to the Moffet register, I am imposing a tax upon liquor. I recognize revenues, and believe that articles deemed luxuries should bear the burden of that taxation. I favor a tax upon liquor as a luxury; but believe the present mode tends to produce an immoral sentiment in the community by the great temptation it offers to the practice of fraud. I do not believe the present law will eventually yield the revenue which could be raised by other modes of taxation.

J. T. ELLYSON, ESQ. I am in favor of paying the public debt and against all forms of repudiation, yet I Judge John A. Meredith. General Joseph would not be unwilling to vote for the returned from Washington Saturday morn- ors of the State for the readjustment of the

> I am in favor of the Moffett-register law. COLONEL W. S. GILMAN.

In reply to the questions addressed to me, I have briefly to say that I am in favor of paying the interest on the State debt and maintaining the State's credit. Of course, however, I would gladly further any plan that looked to a fair readjustment with our creditors, and my knowledge of the case leads me to believe that, with a proper effort on our part, those who hold our bonds may be induced to agree to a settlement that will be liberal in them and honorable to the people of Virginia.

I am opposed to the repeal of the Moffett liquor-law, but would agree to such amendments as will make it bear equitably on all classes. I would not consent to any change that would affect its efficacy as a revenue

measure. I need hardly add that I am opposed to forcible readjustment. If with these views the people of Rich-

nond shall again elect me to the House of Delegates I will endeavor to serve them faithfully. MR. B. C. GRAY.

Mr. Gray being out of the city, his son Alfred Gray, Esq.) made the following response to inquiries:

My father's views on the matter of the public debt are opposed to anything like POLICE COURT, SATURDAY-Justice John repudiation or forcible readjustment. In J. Crutchfield presiding .- Grandison Pur- the matter of the Moffett register he is dy and Louis Jefferson (colored), charged rather favorable to it. That is as strongly with feloniously stealing one chest and con- as I can speak. If you would like to ex-Council of the Cross. The Justice, after consult him, his address is, Cataract House,

Mr. Gray was telegraphed to, but no answer was received up to Saturday night. ed) were fined \$2 each for using improper | It is therefore presumed that he did not get the telegram in time to answer it.

WILLIAM L. GRIFFIN, ESQ. I am in favor of a fair and just compromise or readjustment of the State debt, and opposed to the collection of revenue in the

WILLIAM WIRT HENRY, ESQ. any other form of repudiation. . ENTERTAINMENT AT THE VIRGINIA OPERA- As the Conservative party have declared

er's land.

Security of the se

nue it raises is with the least inconvenience to those who pay it. It is an experiment, however, and whatever just grounds of complaint there may be to its working should be removed.

DON P. HALSEY, ESQ. I am in favor of paying the State debt and of adopting such constitutional and lawful means as shall be necessary for the accom-

plishment of that end. I am not in favor of what is known as forcible readjustment, nor of repudiation under any other name.

Regarding the "Moffett liquor-law" in its present form as unjust, inquisitorial, demoralizing, and in violation of the spirit if not the letter of our Coastitution, should, if elected to the Legislature, not hesitate to vote for its repeal or decided modification.

WILLIAM LOVENSTEIN, ESQ. Recognizing the right of my constituents to know my views upon the important questions that will be brought before the next General Assembly, and believing the questions propounced should be "answered freely," I will say that in regard to my position on the public debt there can be no doubt. For seven years I have ever voted to sustain the public credit, and stand upon that platform to-day.

As to the question-Are you in favor of forcible adjust-

I answer unequivocally, I am not. I am in favor of an adjustment of the State debt by which all the creditors of the State can be placed upon the same footing and an honorable settlement made at a lower rate of interest, to be paid promptly and I feel confident that if provision would be made to meet the interest promptly that the compromise would be readily accepted by our creditors, who would be amply repaid for any loss of interest in the appreciation of their bonds. As to the next question-

Am I in favor of the repeal of the Moffett punch law?-I answer, No-until it shall have had : fair trial and then prove unavailable. As an original proposition, I preferred another mode for taxation of liquors, but the plan was not accepted, and the present law was adopted as a compromise measure, and should be given a fair trial, with certain modifications, which, perhaps, the law de-

mands. DR. A. S. M'RAE.

Recognizing the right of the people to require of all who present themselves as candidates for positions of public trust their views on questions seriously affecting their interests, it affords me pleasure to comply with your request.

I am in favor of a readjustment of the public debt, and for the following reasons: registered bonds may share equally whatever amount of interest the State may be pay upon the whole. At this time, and under the operation of the funding bill, the our party. holders of the "consols" are receiving six per cent. of interest, whilst the holders of the peelers" are only receing pay in promises. This is grossly unjust, and a remedy can surely be found, and ought, in accordance with every principle of equity and right, to be applied. In the second place the Court of Appeals

of the debt assigned or remitted to the latter to pay. I find a great deal of ignorance prevailing upon this question, which I suppose is due to the fact that some of our most distinguished public speakers have stated from all obligation to pay this third of the debt. Nothing, however, is farther from being correct. This part of the debt Virginia, by legislative enactment, surely ought to be absolved from paying. This part of the debt, therefore, I would have wiped clean out beyond a peradventure. To be brief, as you request, I think the State, by reducing her criminal and other expenses, can pay to her creditors 31 or 4 per cent. on her whole debt. This, I believe, her creditors would be satisfied with, provided a proper guarantee of prompt and regular payment of the interest is given. If this, however, should not prove satisfactory I think that means strictly and constitutionally legal should be resorted to in order that the State may be enabled to resume her sovereignty and control as she may find desirable and neces-

sary her own finances. As to the Moffett bill I am opposed to it, because I regard it as a species of classlegislation which is unconstitutional, unjust, and which is calculated to mar the peace and happiness of the Commonwealth. and which, if persisted in and repeated, tends ultimately to endanger even the rights

and liberties of the people. SAMUEL H. PULLIAM, ESQ.

I am in favor of the payment of the public debt, and opposed to forcible readjustment in any form; and while I have objections to some of the features of the Moffett liquor-law, I am in favor of giving it a fair trial. The Moffett law has not been in operation long enough to enable me to come to a satisfactory conclusion as to what amendments are necessary.

DR. W. F. RICHARDSON. I endorse the position of our candidate for Lieutenant-Governor on the public debt. am in favor of giving the Moffett law a

fair trial before attempting its repeal. FRANK J. REILLY, ESQ. I think the debt ought to be paid to the uttermost farthing, but that the revenue for that purpose ought to be raised by a fair and equitable assessment of all the real and near N for \$1; 30 feet on College street personal property in the State. Iam opposed to class legislation. Every man ought to pay according to his ability. I am opposed

to the Moffett liquor-law. CHARLES U. WILLIAMS, ESQ. Mr. Williams was in New York on Saturday and his exact address could not be obtained. His views on the public-debt question, as evidenced by his votes in the House and publications over his signature, are that the State should deal fairly with the bondbolders, and if an amicable adjustment cannot be obtained which will bring the amount of interest within the present means of the State, then additional revenue should be raised. Mr. Williams voted against the Moffett bill, believing it unconstitutional, but is understood to be in favor

of taxing liquor in other forms. VOTING-PLACES. The following are the voting places: Clay Ward-Westham House, corner of

Pine and Cary streets. Monroe Ward-207 east Grace street. Madison Ward-Bank · street between Ninth and Tenth. Marshall Ward-Club-House, Marshall

street between Twenty-sixth and Twentyseventh streets. Jefferson Ward-Old-Market Hall, Jackson Ward-First precinct, Brook avenue near Baker; Second precinct, Second street near Baker; Third precinct, Seven-

teenth street near Clay. The above is official only as to Clay, Monroe, and Jefferson Wards, but is believed to be correct as to the others. THE ADDRESS.

At the last meeting of the City Conservative Committee a sub-committee, consisting of Messrs. D. C. Richardson, John F. Regnault, and C. F. Taylor, was appointed to \$8,155.86; Thursday, \$9,568.33; Friday, \$8,511.40; Saturday, \$8,250.35. Total, \$47,State, and against forcible readjustment or morning. morning. PERSONAL, &C.

law a fair trial for that purpose, as the reve- | meet Sunday afternoon to agree upon a ticket of five to be supported to-morrow (Tuesday).

Ward superintendents, it is assumed, have made all arrangements for Tuesday. The secretary of the City Committee will books, and primary-election plans ready between 6 and 7 o'clock Monday evening, when the proper parties should call for

Address of the City Conservative Committee. To the Conservative Voters of Richmond

The City Conservative Committee, which has been charged with the direction of the affairs of the party in this city, has decided it expedient that candidates should be nominated to be voted for as delegates to represent the city of Richmond in the House of Delegates. A primary election has been agreed upon

as the best mode by which the voters of the party can give a full and fair expression to their choice of candidates, and Tuesday the 23d instant has been designated as the day for holding that election. The propriety at this time of making

nominations is a question which has engaged the thoughtful consideration of the committee, and its conclusion has only been reached after a full discussion and calm deliberation. The maintenance of the Conservative organization and the importance of having as our delegates in the next Legislature those men who will be the exponents of the views of a majority of the Conservative voters of the city are some of the reasons by which the committee has been influenced.

The maintenance of the organization intact is imperatively demanded by every consideration of self-protection and patriotism, and any course which will tend to its disruption should be sedulously avoided.

The Conservative party of Virginia, or ganized in the dark days of our political history, is essentially a party of concessions and compromises. Good men, with political creeds of the past, laying aside their differences, and having at heart the welfare of the State, her recuperation and her restoration to the position she once so proudly filled, united together under one banner and stood upon a common platform.

The struggle, arduous and protracted, was crowned with triumph, and to-day "the consent of the governed" is the indefeasible title by which those now in authority fill our State and municipal offices. Before the triumphant march of Conservatism our political opponents have slunk away, but their phalanx is yet unbroken. In many successive campaigns they have

sought to effect by strategem that which they have been unable to accomplish in open fight-to take advantage of seeming First, that the holders of the peeler and disaffections in our ranks-and any dissensions in the party at this time will encourage them to rally again at the old cry of able, without any increase of taxation, to "opposition to Conservatism," and cast their undivided strength against the nominees of Questions of vital importance to the State

have been made issues in the present can- and larger pictures from small negatives than can vass, and on some of these questions men whose fealty to the party has never been doubted differ widely. These diverse views should have the fullest expression at the polls at the primary election. These differences should be settled within the party,

With a fair canvass, a full vote, and an honest count, (which are assured by the plan.) the committee feels satisfied that the number of those will be small who will be disposed after the primary election to ally themselves with our political enemies for the purpose of defeating the party nominees, and that their efforts, as in the past, will be abortive. The attempt to array a particular class of

Conservatives against their party has been frequently made by those who have failed to receive from the honest voters any recognition of their assumed merits. A few per sons claiming to be the peculiar champions of the workingmen (who compose for the greater part the organization which has saved our State and city from misrule, corruption, and anarchy) have endeavored to draw off from our party a number of Con- KER'S CARBOLIC MOUTH-WASH. Fifty cents a servative votes and unite them with our opponents. These men, if not themselves the emissaries of our enemies, are actuated alone by motives of personal ambition. Their attempts will be viewed with suspicion by the honest workingmen, and these this country. oft-repeated and shallow devices will deceive but few of the intelligent voters who com-

pose our industrial classes. At the primary election all will have an equal opportunity of securing the nomination of men who will represent their views and interests. Let there be a full vote and a fair expression of the popular will at the polls; and after the result shall have been announced, let all dissensions be healed, all differences laid aside, and the perpetuity of | Fifty cents a bottle. Conservative rule be assured by maintaining our party organization and casting our undivided vote for the nominees. CHARLES F. TAYLOR,

Acting Superintendent City Central Committee. W. D. Chesterman, Secretary.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE. - The following is a list of the conveyances of real estate for the week ending October 20th: Lots fronting 38 feet on Jackson street for \$453 25 feet on Clay street corner of Cabell for \$100: 30 feet on First street corner of Federal for \$450; 24 feet on Broad street be tween Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth for \$250; 43 feet on Fourth street between Leigh and Jackson for \$688; 25 feet on Venable street between Rose and Twenty fifth for \$275; 28 feet on Thirtieth street between Broad and Marshall for \$2,150; 16t feet and 16t feet on Cary street between Madison and Belvidere in exchange for the Richmond Enquirer; 28 feet on Thirtieth street between Leigh and M for \$250; 15 feet on St. James street near Leigh for \$50; 334 feet on Canal street between Adams and Jefferson for 8-; 164 feet, 164 feet, and 16½ feet on Cary street between Madison and Belvidere for \$-; 16 feet on Mayo street near Broad for \$1,750; 15 feet on McCance street near Venable for \$200.

THE PHENIX TO-NIGHT .- To-night Milton Nobles and his comedy company will commence a brief engagement at the Theatre and present the typical drama The Phoenix. It is represented to be a cleverly-devised plot, which claims the attention of the auditor from the opening scene, while its skilful development does not overstep the bounds of probability. The language of the play is said to be crisp, sparkling, characteristic, and correct in construction. There are situations that work an audience to enthusiasm, and yet they are exactly such occurences as transpire in New York daily; and the plot and motive of the play is never for a moment lost sight of. The persons in the drama are representative types of American character, and each one has a purpose in the action and development of the plot Mr. Nobles's picture of a New York Bohe mian must go on the record as a creation. While writing a sensation story of the Dime Novel order, he keeps the audience convulsed with laughter for fifteen or twenty minutes, without the slightest effort on his part, and apparently without knowing that he has been funny. He is amusing without seeming to be so. Reserved seats may be had at Johnston's

music-store. LARGE CONTRACT AWARDED A RICHMOND FIRM.-The War Department has awarded Messrs. Joseph Hall & Co. a contract for \$33,000 for iron-work on the War Depart-

Mr. CRANZ is receiving another lot of that celebrated Premiere Serre Champagne, and would be pleased to receive orders for it. The price has been

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was charged with arson, was discharged by Mayor Chiles Saturday. A warrant was subsequently sworn out have the tickets, poll-books, registration- for perjury, and in consequence of the absence of witnesses this was postponed.

On the Water-Power.-Every arrange ment has been made and work is expected to commence to-day on the water-power. It is possible that the water supply will be cut off for several days yet.

New Buildings .- The new brick dwelling of E. B. Howle, on Eleventh street between Decatur and Stockton, is fast approaching completion. The Harrison buildings, on south Porter street, are nearly ready for occupancy.

Mayor's Court.—Two parties charged ith mutiny were before Mayor Chiles Satriday and sentenced to imprisonment. The utiny occurred on board a vessel at the harf below the city.

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MENTS on Broad between Twenty-seventh and Twenty-seleghth street; five rooms; gas, water, water, in the street; seven rooms; kitchen; gas, water, bath, &c.:

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No. 2605 Franklin street; street; street; seven rooms; kitchen; gas, water, bath, &c.: with mutiny were before Mayor Chiles Saturday and sentenced to imprisonment. The mutiny occurred on board a vessel at the wharf below the city.

The Legislative Canvass .- It is but just to Messrs. Atkisson and Lynch, the regular nominees of the Conservative party for the Legislature to say that while they are willing to do anything for the harmony of the party, they do not feel called upon to resign the nominations tendered them by the regularly-constituted Conservative Convention until otherwise declared. They solicit the votes of all true Conservatives.

At the called Conservative meeting to-day held at the old court-house only about six or eight voters met, though there was notice given and printed circulars issued. Nine tenths of the voters of Chesterfield seem to have lost all interest in politics, yet after the elections there will be much grumbling and growling done.

COMPLETE critics declare that " Andrews's Bazar' is the brightest of all fashion papers. It consists of various departments, all under able supervision, and any one of which warrants the small subscription asked. No lady who desires to dress well should be without it. Published by W. R. Andrews, Cin-

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WATCH at C. GENNET'S, 917 Main street. LOOK at the new styles in ladies' plain and figured beaver cloaks just received at JULIUS MEYER'S.

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By On all sales of Real Estate made between the 1st of January and last of June the taxes for the present year have to be pail by the purchaser. On all sales made between the 1st of July and last of the year the taxes have to be paid by the seller. [This custom was adopted about fifteen years ago by all the real estate agents in Richmond, and ar-plies to Richmond and vicinity.]

FRANK D. HILL, 4% P. M., two new framed dwellings on Taylor street between Cary and Harvie. GRUBBS & WILLIAMS, 414 P. M., building lots on EDWARD C. GODDIN, 4 P. M., trustee's and con issioner's sale of brick dwelling No. 304 south Belvidere street.

ROBERT B. LYNE, 4½ P. M., trustee's sale of one-half interest in two framed tenements and lots on the south side of Leigh street, opposite Ebe-nezer church. J. D. WHITEHEAD & CO., 10 A. M., groceries. E. W. POWELL, 10 A. M., flags, mottoes, ban-HILL & ANDERSON, 12 M., groceries.

GROCERIES, &c. DAVENPORT & MORRIS, Seventeenth and Dock streets, offer for sale—
COFFEES—Rio, Laguayra, and Java;
SUGARS—Refined, of all grades;
MOLASES—New Orleans and Porto Rico; SYRUP-Extra and common: BACON, LARD, CHEESE, SODA, MANUFACTURED TOBACCO, FLOUR, FISH, POWDER.

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